



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Tokio OOI et al.

Group Art Unit: 1793

Application No.: 10/771,380

Examiner: S. HENDRICKSON

Filed: February 5, 2004

Docket No.: 118520

For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING ACTIVATED CARBON

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND  
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents  
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